GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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WIDENING OF NATIONAL HIGHWAY IN KORILPATTI
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal is under consideration to widen the National Highway in Korilpatti which connects Madurai-Kanyakumari National Highway and Puliyankudi which connects Madurai-Sengotta National Highway;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJOR GENERAL (RETD.) B.C KHANDURI)

(a) to (c) Widening of National Highway No.-7 to 4-lane in Kovilpatti in Madurai-Kanyakumari section is proposed under North-South corridor programme of National Highway Development Project (NHDP), which is scheduled for completion by December, 2007.

Widening of National Highway No.-208 in Puliyankudi in Madurai-Sengotta section is not proposed at present in view of low traffic volume in this reach.